Mrs. Jones' 7th Grade Pre-AP Math Class Syllabus 2014-2015 HMS - Room 116

Parents - welcome to the start of a new school year! I am excited about working with your child and supporting their growth and development in math. This handout outlines some things you and your child need to know to help him or her be successful in pre-ap math this year. Please visit my class webpage to find out more about me and my expectations for pre-ap math. Thank you in advance for sharing your child with me.

Supplies

Students should bring required supplies to class every day. Not doing so is unacceptable. Students will need:

- 1-inch Binder
- Spiral Notebook
- Pen (for grading)
- Dry Erase Markers

- Notebook Paper
- 12-pack Pencils
- Ream of Paper
- Dividers

Grades (Assessing Student Progress)

- ✓ Minor Grades (Daily Assignments, Quizzes, etc.) are weighted 60% in the grade book.
- ✓ Major Grades (Unit Tests, District Assessments, Projects, etc.) are weighted 40% in the grade book.

Progress Reports, & Report Cards

Progress reports and report cards will be provided once each six weeks. The progress reports and report cards reflect how students are doing in ALL their classes. A parent signature is required on the report card. Your signature indicates that you have seen the report card and are aware of your child's progress in their classes.

Practice Work, Make-Up Work & Retakes

- 1. Practice work will be sent home regularly. Although it is **not** for a grade, the expectation is for the work to be completed. Practice work is designed to be an additional opportunity for your child to see what he or she knows after receiving instruction and class practice. Answers to practice problems will be provided so that students can check their work afterwards.
- 2. Students are allowed one day more than the number of days absent to turn in make-up work (For example, 2 days absent = 3 days to make-up the work). It is the student's responsibility to ask about make-up work the day they return to class. Students will need to make arrangements with me to get missed quizzes/exams made up in a timely manner as well.
- 3. Students are allowed to retake one quiz or exam each six weeks if they scored below a 70. This will only be granted upon a student's request. The student may be required to attend one tutorial session prior to the retake. The retake must occur within one week of the original quiz/exam date.

Tutorials

Tutoring is available Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays afterschool for students who need additional help or need to make-up an exam or quiz.

Contact Information

Should you have a concern about your child or just have a question, don't hesitate to contact me.

Email: <u>tyjones@weatherfordisd.com</u> Ph: (817) 598-2822 ext. 3932 Web: http://hall-ms.weatherfordisd.edlioschool.com Conf: 12:39 – 1:35 (daily)

Please sign, detach and return this bottom por	rtion to math class by Friday, August 29, 2014.
I have read and fully understand the expectation	ons for Mrs. Jones' math class.
 Student Signature/Date	Parent Signature/Date